to the exporters on account of wrong classification of the export products. Details are enclosed as per Annexure. [*See* Appendix 170, Annexure 105]

(b) to (e) Wherever there is excess amount of cash compensatory support as pointed out by the audit, it is either recovered from the exporter, or the audit authorities are satisfied that the payment was made according to the rules.

Representations opposing GATT Treaty

5290. SHRI SANATAN BISI : Will the Minister of COMMERCE be pleased to state :

(a) whether Government have received any representation from the State Government of Orissa opposing the GATT Treaty;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether such representation have been received by the Central Government from other State Governments also; and

(d) the reaction of the Central Government with regard to the opinions expressed by the Government of Orissa and other State Governments on the various proposals ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMERCE (SHRI KAMALUDDIN AHMED) : (a) to (d) Representations have been received, *inter alia*, from the Government of Orissa, which has also filed a suit against the Union of India in the Supreme Court. The gravemen of representation is basically that there will be adverse economic consequences of accepting the Uruguay round results. Government of India does not share the assessment of the Government of Orissa.

Export Facilitation/Grievances Readdressal Committee

5291. SHRI SURESH KALMADI : Will the Minister of COMMERCE be pleased to state :

(a) whether it is a fact that Government have constituted an export facilitation/grievance redressal committee;

(b) if so, the names of the members of the Committee; and

(c) the main objective for the formation of the Committee ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMERCE, (SHRI KAMALUDDIN AHMED) : (a) to (c) In order to facilitate speedy redressel of genuine grievances of trade and industry including complaints against delays, Grievance Committees have been set up in the Office of the Director General of Foreign Trade and the Regional Licensing Authorities. These Committees include representatives of the Federation of Indian Exporters Organisation (FIEO), concerned Export Promotion Councils/Commodity Boards and concerned Government Departments/Technical Authorities. The Chairman of the respective Grievance committees have the discretion to co-opt any other members as and when considered necessary on such Committees. Necessary provision exists under Para 250 of the Hand Book of Procedures Vol. I 1992-97 (Revised Edition—March 1994).

Involvement of State Governments in promoting Exports

5292. SHRI S. MADHAVAN : Will the Minister of COMMERCE be pleased to state :

(a) the steps taken to involve State Governments to promote exports;